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**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Rebecca Richards-Kortum et al.

Serial No.: 10/688,152

Filed: October 17, 2003

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PROBABILISTICALLY CLASSIFYING  
TISSUE IN VITRO AND IN VIVO USING  
FLUORESCENCE SPECTROSCOPY

Group Art Unit: 3737

Examiner: Smith, Ruth S.

Atty. Dkt. No.: TUUT:010USC1

**Amendment; Response To Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment  
(37 CFR 1.121) Dated October 19, 2005;  
And Request For Extension Of Time**

**MS: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Commissioner:

This paper responds to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 19, 2005, for which the one-month date for response was November 19, 2005. Favorable reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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